North Alabama Caves

1. North Alabama caves are formed from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ flowing through cracks in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rock.

2. Formations that hang from the ceiling of a cave are called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. Formations that grow from the floor of the cave are called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. When those formations touch each other a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is formed.

5. Animals that live in the lakes of a cave are all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because they have adapted to life in complete darkness.

6. Thin tubes that hang from the ceiling of a cave are known as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. Bubbly shaped cave formations that look like Mrs. Hudson’s favorite movie snack are known as cave \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. A cave that is in its natural state is called a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cave, but a cave that is open to the public with lights and walkways is known as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cave.

9. The cavers’ motto is “Take nothing but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, leave nothing but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and kill nothing but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.”

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